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Retail Merchants Association Meet

Clerks Ask for Half Holiday.

The meeting of the Retail Merchants' Association on Friday last, was perhaps the best attended on record. Practically every merchant in the city was present, and a whole lot of business got through. One of the most important items of the evening was the presentation of a petition from the retail clerks of the city, asking association to grant them a half-holiday on every Wednesday afternoon during the months of July and August, closing the stores at 1 p.m. The clerks maintain that this would not entail a hardship on any person, and would tend towards the efficiency and health of the employees. The matter was left to the committee to deal with.

Following on this matter was an important discussion as to the advisability of having an early closing by-law (which was drawn up and presented to the Board) placed before the public. J. A. Bucknell, Secretary of the Provincial Board, offered to canvass the merchants and secure signatures on the matter. His offer was accepted, and he lost no time about it. For Saturday morning he secured the names of thirty merchants and business men of the city favorable to the movement.

President T. A. Gaetz reported on the convention held in Calgary in May, and said the next convention would be held in Red Deer, and hoped this branch would do all in their power to interest the delegates.

The Red Deer Board congratulated Mr. Gaetz on his election to the presidency of the Alberta Board.

Mr. Gaetz, in a very appropriate reply to the vote of thanks, said that in accepting the position of President of the provincial association he meant to give it the best of his ability and time.

J. A. Bucknell, of Calgary, provincial secretary, has rendered great assistance to the Board since convention and his services have been much appreciated.

"A" Sep. 35th C.A.H. Alberta Horse Leave for Calgary

Red Deer bore quite a martial appearance on Monday and Tuesday, owing to so many members of the Central Alberta Horse being about the streets in military dress. The annual training camp is being held in Calgary, and the Red Deer Squadron, consisting of eighty men, out of a total strength of ninety-eight, have been training for some time, with the intention of giving a good account of themselves. The officers attending camp are Major J. C. L. Moore, Captain H. J. King, Lieut. H. V. George, J. B. McBride, Lacombe, and T. J. Walton, Edwell.

Included in the eighty troopers are sixty from Red Deer and its immediate vicinity, the other twenty being from Lacombe and Edwell. This is a splendid showing for Red Deer. The Squadron was called to order at 7 a.m. on Tuesday morning, and presented a very smart and creditable appearance. The training of the horses, etc., was carried out without a hitch, and was watched by numerous interested citizens. The only thing needed was the time of "The Girl I Left Behind Me." Red Deer is the military headquarters for the district and for the first time a partial regimental staff went from Red Deer, including the following: Capt. C. W. G. Moore, Chaplain; Lieut. Wishart, Quartermaster; Dr. H. George, Medical Officer; A. C. Clowes, Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant, and W. Krause, Pay Sergeant.

Springvale

A very successful meeting of the Springvale and Clearview Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Saunders last week. The general opinion of the neighborhood that this meeting so warmed things up that it accounted for the rain. The next meeting of the Institute will be at the home of Mrs. Jas. Spiers, Clearview, on July 3rd, 3 p.m. All ladies and girls invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McFarlane and Alton returned home on Friday last from the coast. They report conditions dull out there.

The Springvale Sunday School picnic will be held in the vicinity of Mr. Abbott's on July 8th. A committee is at work preparing for an enjoyable day.

The Best Furniture Co. have a little machine for putting on new baby carriage tires while you wait.

Red Deer Market Proving Success

The Red Deer market on Thursday last proved to be the best we have had so far. It is growing steadily, week by week, and no difficulty is experienced in selling all the produce brought in. Each week brings a greater variety of goods for sale, and prices are reasonable, as follows:

Butter, 22c to 25c	Eggs, 20c to 25c
Chicken, dressed, 20c to 25c	Pork, 13c to 15c
Rhubarb, 6 lbs.	Green Onions, per bunch, 5c
Lettuce, per bunch, 5c	Radishes, per bunch, 5c
Cabbage plants, per dozen, 10c	Cauliflower, per dozen, 15c
Turnips, Carrots, Beet, per lb., 2c	Live ducks, each, \$1.00
Petunias, asters, begonias, cactus, and celery were also offered.	

School Board Meeting

The School Board meeting was held on Saturday last, with the following members of the Board present: Messrs. Payne, chairman, Gaetz, Munro and Sanders. After the reading of the minutes, correspondence was read from the Secretary of the Stationary Engineers' Association, the Inspector's report, the resignation of Miss Myers and Miss Freeman.

The Inspector's report, referring to the property, was on motion referred to the property committee.

It was also moved and carried that the Principal allow the room for examination asked for in the Inspector's letter.

The request of the Association of Stationary Engineers for use of room for meeting purposes was granted, the evening to be arranged with the Principal.

The matter of closers for doors was handed over to the property committee with never to be seen.

A motion was put and carried, accepting, with regret, the resignation of Miss Myers and Miss Freeman.

The following teachers have been re-engaged: Miss Davidson, Miss Smith, Miss Vinton, Miss Lund, Miss Widen, Miss Hartley, Miss Cole, Miss Rhett and Miss Pryor.

Miss Summerby, who is now in the east and taught in Red Deer previously, has also been engaged.

The Secretary was authorized to advertise for a Principal for the Central Public School.

The following accounts were passed: (1) West Laker Co. \$50, McKenzie & Co. \$77, North Red Deer \$800, A. Clutterbuck \$325, M. A. Munro \$30, W. Loveland \$950, Baird & McKenzie \$600, McLennan Bros. \$230, Cheshire Bros. \$420, Day Hardware \$785, E. G. Johns \$30.95, T. A. Gaetz \$700, W. Springstead \$125, P. E. Kent \$500, Standart Drug Co. \$100, F. Matkin \$550, Gaetz-Cornett \$133.50.

Miss Nash Graduates

Last week Miss Isobel Nash, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nash, graduated at the Medicine Hat General Hospital. She took the second prize for the highest general proficiency (presented by the Board of Directors), and the prize for surgery (presented by Dr. C. E. Sayge). The three years' training the nurses have to undergo at the General Hospital, Medicine Hat, is most thorough in every way, and the hospital turns out some splendid nurses. We congratulate Miss Nash, and feel proud a Red Deer girl has done so well.

Wedding Bells

A very pretty wedding ceremony was enacted at the home of Henry McCann on Wednesday, June 10th, the contracting parties being his second daughter, Miss Gertrude McCann, and Mr. G. F. Lampert, of Nevis. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. Saunders, of Springvale, and a large circle of friends were present. The bride looked charming in a beautiful cream silk gown. The wedding breakfast was a delightful one, and was presided over by the happy couple, who afterwards left to spend the honeymoon in Edmonton, and on their return they will make their home in Nevis.

MACDONALD-HERRINGTON

A quiet but interesting wedding took place in Trinity Methodist Parsonage, Calgary, on June 3rd, when Miss Jessie Flora MacDonald, of Pitou, was united in marriage to Mr. Frederick Herrington, of London, England, by the Rev. W. J. Gaetz. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Marion MacDonald, and Mr. Philip Smith acted as best man to the groom. After the ceremony the happy couple left on the evening train for Banff to spend their honeymoon. On their return they will reside in Calgary.

Serious Runaway Mixup Wednesday Last

A very serious runaway accident, in which three teams got in a mix-up, and considerable damage was done, happened on Wednesday last. A team belonging to W. E. Coram got away and, dashing along Groat Avenue, ran into a team and rig belonging to Frank Delaire that was standing outside of The Day Hardware Co's. store, forcing both team and rig into another rig standing ahead, belonging to James Martin, in which was seated the nine-year-old daughter of James Baerman. The child jumped as the crash came, and undoubtedly missed by a foot being thrown out and trodden to death by the two teams, who somehow got over each other and were kicking away at an awful rate until separated by onlookers.

In the meantime the Coram team continued their dash south only just missing upsetting another rig, and missing their own wagon box, until they came to grief near the Piper yard. The rigs of Messrs. Martin and Delaire were badly damaged, and the contents thrown all over the road, as were the contents of Mr. Coram's wagon. These runaways are becoming so frequent that it will be impossible for a child to be on the streets, and the by-laws in respect to tying teams will have to be rigidly enforced if the public are to go in any safety at all.

Chief Anderson will in future bring all owners of runaways before the magistrates.

July 1st Sports will be the Greatest Ever

The July 1st Sports Committee are working hard for a successful day, and intend catering to the people in a way that will be remembered.

\$1,500 will be given in prizes, and the whole of the money will be spent among the local tradesmen. It is already assured that the finest football teams in the province, and probably in Canada, including the Edmonton Calles and Swifts, will be here, and Bowden, Red Deer and Ponoka baseball clubs are training hard for games here on the 1st.

A special item will be the race for motor cycles, which will take place on the track. The five-mile road race will be run this year in the morning, and will have outside entries. This age will finish at the school grounds, where a patriotic demonstration will be held, and one or two of the football games brought off, so that the morning will find lots of enjoyment for those having time on their hands.

The athletic events will be varied and practically confined to locals. The children's sports will be well looked after.

The horse and pony races will be another enjoyable item, and our farmer friends should see to it that they or their children take a prominent place in this part of the programme.

The relay race and cow pony race will again be a feature worth seeing. The fireworks will be very different from last year, and the finest ever seen in Central Alberta. Might we once more call the attention of our readers to the fact that this is a day when we can all chip in to make it one of real enjoyment to ourselves and our neighbors. Boost for your sports' day should be your slogan.

College Closing

The closing exercises of the Alberta Ladies' College will take place on Wednesday evening, June 24th, at 8 p.m. A musical and dramatic programme has been provided, consisting of instrumental solos, chorus and a play, scenes from "As You Like It."

In both the afternoon and evening there will be exhibits of the students' work in cooking, sewing, china and oil painting, and drawing.

It is hoped that all who are interested in the College will avail themselves of this invitation to see the work done in the several department of the College course.

At the conclusion of the exercises, prizes will be distributed to successful candidates.

Students who are not being issued, but it is hoped that the friends of the College will notice this intimation.

BURNT LAKE PICNIC.

The second annual basket picnic of the Burnt Lake Local Union, No. 26, will be held at Sylvan Lake on Saturday, June 27th. The sports will start at twelve o'clock.

Ten and coffee will be served on the grounds, and altogether a very enjoyable time is looked forward to. A good time for old and young, and you are all invited.

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Geologist's Report on Leaseholds of Red Deer Oil and Gas Company, Limited

(The following report was made by F. B. Smith, B. Sc., C. & M.E., and from it will be seen that the prospects of finding both oil and gas are very good.)

There are conditions necessary in a gas and oil bearing country which are:—

The primary source: the strata to receive and hold it, then the overlying strata impervious enough to prevent its escape. Some such conditions have been found at various points in Alberta, especially to the south-west of Pincher Creek where extensive seepages have been found. The possible reason for the non-commercial success of drilling for oil in that locality is the structural conditions of the rocks and its close proximity to one of the largest mountain ranges of the American continent. The associated rocks of these seepages, however, convinced many that oil would be found in paying quantities over a large area of the Province of Alberta. This has been demonstrated first of all by gas wells sunk at many points, which are large producers. An eminent American Geologist says that the history and development of the natural gas industry is so closely allied with that of petroleum as to be practically a part of it. They have a common history produced from the same source, accumulated by similar agencies and stored in the same reservoirs.

The greatest problem for us, then, in Alberta, after being convinced that there was a natural gas and oil zone, was to study out the formation which formed the reservoirs and, in various localities, to estimate the thickness of the formations overlying the same. Another point also to be considered was that the source of the most of the oil was obtained where there had been a folding of the rocks and this location being on the anticlinal fold. This theory has not always held good, as wells drilled on the synclinal fold have also been producers.

SUMMARY—Considering the various points brought before you, then deductions must be made with regard to your locations. The rocks exposed on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains are the Cambrian, Silurian, Devonian or Devonian-Carboniferous. These latter are the seat of the origin of the oil; the petroleum here formed finds a reservoir in the Dakota sandstones of the Cretaceous rocks.

These Dakota sandstones are known to exist in many states to the south, and as far north as Fort Vermilion on the Peace River. They have been located in the Rocky Mountains and also in Manitoba, so that this great gas-oil reservoir must underlie the plains of Alberta at varying depths.

The Cretaceous formation is divided into series, beginning with the Kootenai formation which holds the Bituminous coals of the mountains, but, thinning out towards the prairies, it entirely disappears or emerges into the Dakota Sandstone (oil belt) say 300 feet.

Benton shales and Niobrara sandstones 760 feet.

Claggett shales, Belly river series, Pierre shales 1,650 feet

Edmonton series, coal, shales, etc., 700 feet.

Tertiary: Paskapoo beds, etc.

The Tertiary deposits are those exposed on the river banks west of Red Deer, and overlying these is a thin covering of glacial deposits.

There is very little doubt that all the stratified measures exist in this locality and when the Belly River series is reached a strong flow of gas will be encountered which may equal the permanency of the first wells drilled at Medicine Hat. The gas from the oil zone is not likely to be reached until close to the Dakota sandstones, as the location is approximately at the base of a broad syncline, the strata gently sloping to the north-east, and, a few miles further, trending upward in the same direction. The pressure exerted on the oil strata is all superimposed, as there are no indications of faultings or foldings of the strata in the district.

The fact that there is an oil zone in the Province has been conclusively proven; also that this zone is in the Dakota Sandstones; and sufficient proof has also been given that these sandstones underlie this portion of Alberta.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK B. SMITH, B. Sc., C. & M.E.

THE MALIGNANT GERM

Animals Contracted Tuberculosis Because Consumptives Expectorate

Frank Carrel of Quebec, Journalist and author, published in his paper, "The Telegraph," a very interesting experience in connection with the various of animal tuberculosis. He wrote:

"Some years ago I was at Ventnor, in the Isle of Wight, and was escorted through the largest tuberculosis hospital and grounds in connection with the president and trustees of the institution. In going through the grounds the president related a rather odd incident, but one of great importance, and from which an object lesson can be taken. The institution in question had decided to have its own cows and chickens, and to thereby provide its patients with the purest of milk and fresh eggs direct from its own farm, so to speak. It was not long, however, before it was noticed that the cows and chickens were looking very poorly, and, notwithstanding the fact that they had the very best of grazing and attention, it was apparent that some malady was affecting them. Examination was made, and it was found that they were all suffering from tuberculosis, and that the only way in which they could have caught it was from the expectoration of patients, who, notwithstanding the strict rules of the institutions relative to expectoration, must have sometime or other expectorated in or around the fields where the cattle were grazing. Another strange incident in connection with this discovery was the fact that pigs were the only animals that could be kept there, and that were immune from contracting the disease. At the time I visited the institution they had quite a large number of pigs which were thriving upon the waste food of the institution."

TEA IN ENGLAND

The Earliest Price Was From \$30 to \$50 a Pound

The earliest record of tea being mentioned by an Englishman was probably that contained in a letter from Mr. Wickham, an agent of the East India Company, writing from "Firando, in Japan, on June 27, 1615, to another officer of the company, resident at Macao, in the south of China, asking him for 'a pot of the best sort of chaw.' It was not until the middle of that century that the English began to use tea; they received their supplies from Java until 1666, when they were driven out by the Dutch, says the "Bulletin" of the Imperial Institute. At first the price in England ranged from \$30 to \$50 per pound. In the Mercantile Magazine of September, 1668, occurs an advertisement of the "China Drink called by the Chinese Teha, by other nations Tea, alias Tee," being sold in London. Thomas Garway, the first English tea dealer, in 1669 or 1660, offered it at prices varying from \$3 to \$12.50 per pound. Not until 1677 is there a record of the East India Company having taken any steps for its importation.

New Use For Sawdust

American and Canadian sawmills have discovered that the sawdust which they have been perplexed how to rid themselves of as worthless lumber is worth at least \$40 a ton, says The New York Press. In Baltimore a chemist has perfected a process of extracting gas from sawdust, adequate enough to supply a city like Ottawa with light and heat at sixty-five cents per thousand feet. This is thought to be worked out around the great sawmills, which have been emptying their dust into the Ottawa River, a variety of new industries subsisting on it are likely to grow up.

Suicide's Strange Will

A French landowner who committed suicide left a curious letter, in which he expressed the wish that there will be no "blackbeetles" (French slang for mourners) at his funeral. He left to the "Progress Club" 300 pints of wine that his comrades might drink his health.

Electrical Inventions

With a device of his own invention an electrician, Senor Iglesias, at Madrid, Spain, lighted and extinguished at will fifteen electric bulbs placed at a distance of 600 yards. Scientists expect the discovery will reduce the cost of production of current for industrial purposes.

Alaska Railway

It is expected that the United States government will soon call for bids for steel in construction of the Alaskan Railroad, which will require 50,000 to 60,000 tons. There is a large market for about 11,000 cars, some of which will probably be filled in the near future.

Railway Building

American railroads placed contracts during first quarter of this year for 590,000 tons of rails, 31,819 cars, 469 locomotives, and 68,000 tons of structural steel.

Wireless on Trains

Union Pacific is making experiments to adopt wireless telegraphy and wireless telephony for moving trains.

The Canadian Army

Of the 2,158 non-commissioned officers and privates in the Canadian army only 554 are Canadian born.

IT PAYS TO BE KIND

Bo Says Railroad President in a Letter on Courtesy

To every employee of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific Railways a message was sent out from the President's office dealing with "Efficiency and Courtesy." The message embodies the spirit of the modern railroad, an insistence on the right of the public, passengers and shipper alike, to demand the best possible service from the railway men. In his message to the passenger employee the president says: "The railroad company desires to sell its transportation. The ticket rates are alike for all, and any person buying a ticket, no matter what the style of his clothes are, how much money he displays or what his position in society is, is entitled to proper and courteous treatment. "The railroad man has a great opportunity for passing out kindness and good-will. He comes into contact with every kind and condition of individual; the old, the young; the rich, the poor; the illiterate, the learned; the happy, the prosperous, and those in distress, saturated with sorrow and defeat; he sees them all and through intuition knows to which class they belong. A smile, a kind word, or a kindness done to any of these cannot fail to leave its impression for good and this good cannot help but expand. Try it."

The president's message to the freight men said: "The needs and wishes of shippers and consignees should be anticipated as much as possible. Do not discommodate a shipper because of some omission of his own, but try to help out. Railroads are the servants of the public and it is their duty to serve well."

Get-Rich-Quick

About the year 1720 a great many Englishmen invested millions of money in companies which were organized for such objects as: "Vessels to be Fished for on the Irish Coast"; "For Making Oil from Sunflower Seeds"; "For Importing a Number of Large Jack Asses from Spain"; "For a Wheel of Perpetual Motion"; and, most extraordinary of all, "For an Undertaking Which Shall in Due Time be Revealed." The promoter of the last company received more than one thousand subscriptions during the morning on which the offering was made, and disappeared the same afternoon with more than two thousand enterprises were not, unfortunately, the last of their kind.

Food Distribution

Food distribution from terminal markets in New York City to consumer makes up 39 per cent. of total retail cost, says report of Bureau of Food Supply.

WHERE WORKMEN ARE INTERESTED

Statistics of Implement Industry—Where the Factories Are—Many Canadians Find Work in Them

In view of the general discussion of the agricultural implement industry which has gone on all over Canada in the past few years, the following facts, as presented in the course of the budget debate in Ottawa recently, will be of great interest to all Canadians, particularly those who live in the West.

According to the census of 1911 there are in Canada seventy-seven implement factories, with a capital of \$46,000,000. The number of employees at factories and head offices, nearly all men, is 5,500 and the amount of salaries and wages paid is \$5,550,000. Materials used amount to \$10,400,000, and the value of products is \$20,700,000. There are fifty-four of these establishments in Ontario, located at forty-three different places and in 35 electoral districts. The capital invested in Ontario alone is \$44,000,000. The other establishments are located in the province of Quebec, and at Winnipeg and Brandon in the province of Manitoba. I have a complete list of the places in which there are manufacturers of agricultural implements. I shall not go through it in detail, but for the information of the House—because it was a surprise to me—I propose to mention to-night the names of the places in Canada in which agricultural implements of one kind or another are manufactured. This is the list: Hamilton, Brockville, Toronto, Peterborough, Preston, St. Mary's, Smith's Falls, Teeswater, Welland, Terrebonne, Guelph, Ingersoll, St. George, Woodstock, Brantford, Coburnville, Aurora, Ayr, Bolton, Goderich, Merrickville, Orillia, Paris, La Prairie, Montmagny, Tillsonburg, Brandon, Chatham, Waterloo, New Hamburg, St. Hyacinthe, Winnipeg, Ottawa, Ridgeway, St. Andre, Warwick, Summerside, P.E.I., Calgary, Berthel, Joliette, Halifax, New Glasgow, Waterville, Walkerville, Sorel, Waterville. So far as the record goes, there are agricultural implement establishments in every province except British Columbia. In these places there is invested \$46,000,000 of capital, supporting directly in operatives and their families, probably 50,000 people.

The mainstay industrially of many of the towns that I have mentioned which afford a market for the surrounding country; these are the establishments which the policy of the abolition, root and branch, of duties on agricultural implements, would destroy.

It is commonly supposed that Ontario and Quebec alone have shared in the advantages resulting from the extensive manufacture of implements in Canada. It should not be over-

looked, however, that Winnipeg and Brandon now number among their industries several good sized successful implement factories, while smaller factories are located in Virton, Hatfield and one or two other Western towns. It is perhaps not surprising that the host of employees of the implement factories view with some dismay the vigorous attacks which have been made on the industry from which they obtain their livelihood, particularly as these attacks seem to be gathering strength in the past few years.

PRODUCTION PER ACRE

Field Crops and Conditions in Argentine Republic

The Argentine Republic farmer can have no quarrel with the Argentine implement manufacturer about the price of his binders because there are practically no manufacturers in the Argentine Republic.

All the implements the Argentine farmer uses are made in the United States or Canada, and the farmer in South America has to pay a tax on them in order to provide a national revenue, but the tax that he pays does not afford incidental protection for the home product.

The fact that there are no domestic manufacturers explains why the Argentine urban population is confined to practically two cities, Buenos Aires and Rosario, the former of which contains more people than Canada's six largest cities.

If Argentina had cultivated the home market she would now have possessed a number of medium sized cities in which there would be some manufacturing development. With the exception of the two cities referred to, the Argentine farmer has no market and exports his products in the shape of raw material to all the countries of the world, instead of having his fellow citizens put it through some of the processes of manufacture as is done in Canada and the United States.

In transportation the Argentine farmer labors under great difficulties.

Forestry Survey

At an average cost of less than one per cent. per square mile, 16,283 square miles of Dominion Crown timberlands in the Northwest were examined last year by forest survey parties sent out by the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior.

Women as Roadbuilders

Women are employed in road building in Singapore, breaking up much of the material with small hammers.

Keeping Potatoes White

A few drops of vinegar added to the water in which potatoes are boiled, will prevent them turning black.

A 25-ton balanced rock overhangs the village of Thomany in France.

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We commend to the merchants of this community the advantages and good results of persistent advertising in our columns, for the public always go where light is—the public shun dark places. Light means welcome and confidence.

A WORD TO MERCHANTS

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FALSE ADVERTISING
NOW A CRIME.

An amendment to the criminal code now makes false advertising a crime, and, for the benefit of those who may be interested, the vital paragraph is herewith presented: "Every person who knowingly publishes or causes to be published any advertisement for either directly or indirectly promoting the sale or disposal of any real or personal, movable or immovable property or any interest therein, containing any false statement which is of a character likely to be intended to enhance the price or value of such property or any interest therein or to promote the sale or disposal thereof, shall be liable upon summary conviction to a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars or to six months' imprisonment, or to both."

A GOVERNMENT THAT HAS DONE VERY WELL.

(Calgary News-Telegram)
The Morning Liberal paper continues to bewail the fact that the Borden government has done and is doing nothing for the farmers, who the Alberta tells us, are taxed for the benefit of the manufacturers. Is it not about time that the Calgary paper ceased talking at random? What did the Laurier government proclaim was the object in building the Grand Trunk Pacific railway? Was it not to carry the produce of the farmers to market? Why did the Laurier government assist the Canadian Northern railway, unless to provide the farmers with railway communication? For what purpose were millions of dollars spent on the canals of Canada if not to assist the farmers in marketing their grain? And why has the Borden government not only continued assisting the G. T. P. and the C.N.R., but pursued a policy of immense expenditures on canals, as well as building immense terminal and internal storage elevators, the giving of large grants to agriculture and good roads, if not to assist the farmers of this country?

The newspaper which declares that the agriculturists of Canada have got nothing from the present government is simply making wild statements.

As a matter of fact, the present session has been a fairly good one—just as good for the country as any single session under the Laurier government. For the first time in history, some attempt has been made to get something for the people in return for railway assistance; there has been a substantial reduction in the tariff on agricultural implements, a stop put to the peddling of railway charters, and many other acts which will work out to the interest

of the country.

True, the Borden government has made no great act in the tariff. That government was elected as a protectionist administration, and it has had no mandate from the people to change its policy. But, even at that, the tariff relations on many factored article have been greater than the much-boasted reciprocity treaty provided for. Neither has wheat been placed on the free list, but, while we believe the western farmers have a right to expect this concession, we feel assured that the number of mills which will be erected in the west during the next few years will justify such a refusal, and will bring our agriculturists closer to the markets and better prices than would reciprocity.

LIBERALS HAVE BROKEN FAITH WITH LEADERS

Great Indignation in Ottawa Over Action of Upper House.

Ottawa, Ont., June 10.—There is great indignation in government circles here over the action of the Liberal majority in the senate in amending Premier Borden's address to parliament asking for amendments to the B. N. A. act to increase western senatorial representation that it could not be accepted by the cabinet.

It is directly charged that there has been a distinct breach of faith, and that the Liberals have violated a definite agreement made between the two parties. It is said that agreements were made between the leaders that the bills providing for increased representation of the four western provinces in the senate should be amended to conform with the B. N. A. act so as to provide for such increased representation.

This agreement was carried out by the government with scrupulous fidelity. In addition to this agreement there was another in regard to redistribution. In fact the opposition insisted that the two questions should be coupled. A unanimous agreement for redistribution was arrived at with respect to all of the 234 constituencies, except one, and the agreement was that one constituency should be left open to discussion in the house of commons. This constituency was Richmond, in Nova Scotia, and the agreement between the party leaders in this case also was carried out by the government in the strictest sense. It is charged that after procuring every possible concession by means of the agreement as to redistribution the Liberal leaders in the commons arranged with the majority in the senate to repudiate the agreement for increased representation of the western provinces in the senate. This repudiation was carried out by adding a clause preventing the proposed amendment to the British North American act from coming into force until the next general elections. The Conservatives allege that a more deliberate and cynical breach of faith has seldom been witnessed in Canadian public life.

Red Deer Put It Over Olds Nine

AT THE LONG END OF 9-5 SCORE

The home boys placed themselves pretty well at the top of the League when they defeated Olds here on Friday night. It was a fine night, and the ground was somewhat dryer than it was the night before. A good crowd turned out, and if the boys keep playing the same class of ball they ought to get bumper crowds soon. The same team as played last game against Didsbury was used, with the exception that R. Malcolm took Lawson's place at first, and Sarchet took Charlie Smith's place in right field. Smith was hit more freely, having 13 hits against him, but he was steady at all times, and Bratton allowed nothing to go by. Burdick and Perrin for Olds were pretty unsteady at times, and Walkley had several pass balls chalked down to his credit. Red Deer did not play errorless ball by any means, but at that they were better than their opponents. J. Bratton again officiated as umpire, and there were very few kicks against his rulings. The game in detail was as follows:

Olds 1st inning—Walkley grounded to Hamley, who muffed; Winter was hit; Gilmore fanned; Samis singled, scoring Walkley, and stole second; Fiske flew to Muldrew, Winter scoring on the catch; Perrin out, Smith to Malcolm. One hit, two runs, one error.

Red Deer 1st inning—Hamley fanned; Muldrew grounded to short, but Winter muffed at first; Wakelin walked; Reynolds grounded to short, forcing Muldrew; Bratton hit for two sacks over third, scoring Wakelin; Chadsey fanned. One hit, one run, one error.

Olds 2nd inning—Bentz hit for two bags into crowd, but was caught sleeping at 2nd; Call fanned; Burdick out, Smith to Malcolm. One hit, no runs, no errors.

Red Deer 2nd inning—Sarchet flew to Hamley, who muffed; Walkley to Winter; Smith fanned. No hits, no runs, no errors.

Olds 3rd inning—Walkley singled; Winter hit to Wakelin, who failed to catch Walkley at 2nd, but Walkley was out when he left the bag, as he thought umpire called him out; Gilmore out, Smith to Malcolm; Samis laid down a good slow one; Fiske out, Smith to Malcolm. Two hits, no runs, one error.

Red Deer 3rd inning—Hamley out, Perrin to Winter; Muldrew to Burdick to Winter; Wakelin out, Burdick to Winter. No hits, no runs, no errors.

Olds 4th inning—Perrin fanned; Bentz singled over 2nd; Call fanned; Burdick out, Smith to Malcolm. One hit, no runs, no errors.

Red Deer 4th inning—Reynolds hit to right field, but was caught trying to make it a two-bagger; Bratton laid down a perfect bunt, but was caught trying to steal second; Chadsey walked; Sarchet fanned. Two hits, no runs, no errors.

Olds 5th inning—Walkley grounded to Hamley, who muffed it; Winter grounded to Smith, who caught Walkley at second, but Hamley spoiled a double play by a bad throw, which Malcolm missed; Gilmore out, Smith to Malcolm; Samis fanned. No hits, no runs, two errors.

Red Deer 5th inning—Malcolm grounded to Perrin; Smith grounded to Gilmore; Hamley grounded to Perrin, who muffed; Muldrew was hit; and then Burdick made a wild throw to 2nd, and the ball went away out into centre field, Hamley and Muldrew scoring; Wakelin hit to right field. One hit, two runs, two errors.

Olds 6th inning—Fiske hit for two bags; Perrin out, Wakelin to Malcolm; Bentz was hit; Call was out; Burdick fanned. One hit, no runs, no errors.

Red Deer 6th inning—Bratton was hit; Chadsey walked; Sarchet got a two-bagger, scoring Bratton; Smith singled, scoring Chadsey; Hamley fanned; Muldrew sacrificed, scoring Sarchet; Wakelin grounded to Burdick, who threw wild, scoring Smith; Reynolds fanned. Two hits, four runs, one error.

Olds 7th inning—Walkley burnt one which was hard to get down to Hamley; Winter hit to Chadsey, who threw to Hamley to Malcolm for a double; Gilmore singled to left field; Samis was hit; Fiske flew to Wakelin. Two hits, no runs, no errors.

Red Deer 7th inning—Bratton popped to Burdick; Chadsey hit to Burdick, who muffed; Sarchet got a two-bagger into crowd, scoring Chadsey; Malcolm popped to Burdick; Smith singled, scoring Sarchet; Hamley grounded to Short. Two hits, two runs, one error.

Olds 8th inning—Perrin hit for two bags; Bentz out, Smith to Malcolm; Reynolds walked; Burdick grounded to Chadsey, but Malcolm dropped the ball, and Perrin scored; Walkley doubled, scoring Call and Burdick; but Walkley was caught at 3rd; Winter hit to centre; Gilmore grounded to Hamley. Four hits, three runs, one error.

Red Deer 8th inning—Muldrew popped to Fiske; Wakelin singled, but was caught at 2nd on Reynolds's grounder, and Reynolds was caught stealing. One hit, no runs, no errors.

Olds 9th inning—Samis grounded to Wakelin; Fiske grounded to Smith; Perrin doubled into crowd; Bentz fanned.

Runs by innings.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R H E
Red Deer 10 0 0 2 4 2 0 9 9 0
Olds 2 0 0 0 0 3 0 6 5 13 6
Singles—Walkley 3, Samis 2, Bentz 1, Gilmore 1, Call 1, Winter 1, Reynolds 1, Wakelin 2, Smith 2, Bratton 1. Two-baggers—Perrin 2, Sarchet

2, Bratton 1, Bentz 1, Fiske 1. Hit by Smith 2, by Burdick 1, by Perrin 1. Fanned, by Smith 7, by Burdick 4, by Perrin 2. Passed balls by Walkley 4.

BASEBALL

In the local league the three teams are now again on the level, each having won and lost two games. At the start of the league it looked all like the School, but their chances are not so rosy now, since the other teams have worked into shape to some extent. In one way the School team are handicapped, as their battery is used for the senior league games, and Smith and Bratton are not able to go into the local games as they would otherwise do, but of course any other members of the team used are bettered by the practice of the senior games.

On Wednesday evening the Firemen got out the strongest aggregation they have yet had, and they came prepared to win by any means, fair, unfair or questionable. It is not good policy to knock perhaps, but the umpire, who is unknown, certainly gave some rank decisions, whether from prejudice or ignorance is not known. Smith and Bratton were unable to play for the School, and Lawson pitched, while C. Malcolm kindly helped on the catching stunt. The rest of the team also seemed a little off color, especially C. Chadsey at second, who was rank. The Firemen held out nearly everything, and Walkley scored a great run to second, where Edgington was stationed, and certainly had the School boys hold down. That is all well and good, and the game went right for three innings, but then the Firemen, not sure of winning, started a personal battle to get the pitcher sore, and it looked as if they succeeded, although he was not by any means to blame for all of the runs in the fourth inning. The game also got out of the umpire's hands, as he allowed four runs to score in the fourth, after three men were out, as it was unquestionable that Lund was out between second and third; also he allowed the coaches to act as they saw fit, regardless of rules to the contrary. Seven runs were scored during this inning, and the School batters were unable to hit J. M. to any extent, the final score being 12-3.

The Man Who Used Common Sense

John Arbuthnot, writing of the late Sir William Whyte in June Canada Monthly, tells a characteristic story of him when he was general superintendent of the western division of the Canadian Pacific. He says:

"Men who worked beside him twenty years ago tell many stories of the practical common-sense which he brought to bear upon the problems of the road from the beginning of his service. The story of the Edmonton area is one of the most typical."

"In his first general superintendent days, the Canadian Pacific was having a world of trouble with its freight cars engaged in carrying oats. There was a large and increasing tonnage of grain to be hauled, and all the rolling stock was needed. Yet the repair shops were in constant receipt of freight cars which came limping in with ruined journals, broken down apparently by overloading. The shops swore at the yardmen, and the division superintendent, with his desk piled up with kicks from irate farmers, swore at the shops. Yet the yardmen, accused, arid in righteous indignation, pointed to the load-lines that showed unmistakably above the grain in the cars."

"Now a load-line is a mark restricting the capacity of the car, according to the weight of the material carried. Figuring oats at thirty-four pounds to the bushel, which up to that time was the standard weight everywhere, the yardmen had loaded the cars exactly to the load-lines, and by all ordinary laws, the cars were O.K."

"In the course of time the trouble came up to General Superintendent of the Western Division, William Whyte. He did not swear at anybody. That wasn't his way. He listened to the end, and then said matter-of-factly: "Suppose you weigh those oats." "The division superintendent opened his mouth to speak, thought better of it, and sought a scale with a bushel of oats. Thirty-four—thirty-six—thirty-eight—these were the weights he found. He then weighed six pounds of iron to balance them, and the mystery was solved. William Whyte had used plain, sane, common-sense, which after all is about as uncommon as any other quality of mankind; and in three minutes had settled a difficulty over which the whole prairie section of the line had bogged for weeks."

DR. CHOWN SOFTENS DEATH KNEEL OF CHURCH UNION.

"For the time being, negotiations for union are at an end. Methodists must gather themselves together and be true to their own ideals, and wait for developments from the other side."

Thus the death-knell of union among the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches was sounded by Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist church, this morning at the Montreal district Methodist conference at St. James' Church.

Pretty Styles and Splendid Variety in Cool Summer Blouses for Women

A shipment of fashion's latest creations in Cool Summer Blouses has just been placed into stock. Women are sure to be charmed with the lovely styles and tasteful trimmings. The following are a few prices to show how irresistibly low we have them marked.

At \$1.50

Pretty Waists of Crepe, made in drop shoulder effect, with short sleeves; trimmed with black and white - \$1.50

At \$2.50

Voile Waist, Raglan sleeves and hem-stitched trimming, with lace collar and cuffs - \$2.50

At \$3.50

Ratine Blouse, finished with pearl buttons, shawl collar and turned back cuffs, edged with pleated frilling, 3.50

At \$4.00

Fancy Waists in Voile, kimona style, with vest and rolled collar of guipure lace, fastened with pearl buttons and long sleeves - 4.00

\$4.00 & \$4.50 Women's Oxfords for \$2.95

It'll not take many seconds for women to decide on a pair of these smart summer Oxfords, once they get a peep at them. They consist of our best selling lines in which sizes have been broken; button or lace styles; high or recede toe; in Patent Leather, Tan Russian Calf, Chocolate Kid and Vici Kid. All Express and Smardon makes.

A Quartette of Beauties



Following are the sizes:

4 pairs 2-1-2; 2 pairs 3; 8 pairs 3 1-2; 3 pairs 4; 2 pairs 4 1-2; 2 pairs 5; 2 pairs 5 1-2; 1 pair 6 1-2

All One Price, \$2.95

30 Men's Washable Summer Vests

Arranged in three lots for quick selling
Regular to \$1.75, Your Choice for 95c.
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They are not only dressy, but so cool and comfortable for summer months, and a pattern and size to suit all tastes.

Small Boys' Cool Summer Wash Suits at \$1.00 and up

Just the suit in which to dress the little man to make him look clean and comfortable these hot afternoons. They are in the following colors:—Blue trimmed with white; white trimmed with black; black and white stripe trimmed with white; fawn trimmed with white. Ages 3 to 7.

Prices \$1.00 and up

Children's Tams, only 25c.

Only 15 of these Sailor Tams left, in enamel, leather and assorted colors cotton, and

They will be cleared at 25c.

BOYS' ODD TROUSERS

Boys' Brown Tweed Bloomer Pants, sizes 24 to 33, 95c. and \$1.00

Boys' Extra Strong Grey Tweed Bloomers, sizes 24 to 33, \$1.25

Boys' Navy Blue Serge Bloomers, sizes 24 to 28, 95c. " " " " 30 to 33, \$1.65

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It is just as easy on exchange to sell stock as to buy at the quotations bulletined, provided our Calgary representatives have certificates on hand to deliver when the sale is made. The Broker on the floor of the Calgary Oil Exchange will not pay as much for stocks when they have to wait for delivery of certificates as they will for immediate delivery. As a matter of fact where certificates cannot be delivered within 12 hours after trade is made the deal falls through.

If among our customers purchasing stocks there are some who intend reselling at a higher price at a later date, they may leave their Certificates in our hands, and instead of sending their Certificates we will send them receipts, holding them at Calgary, so that when they wish to dispose of them they may place their orders to sell through us and we will sell them at the best market prices. This is the only system that can be devised for the handling of selling orders. Our Clients must instruct us to hold their Certificates subject to instructions from them and we will mail them receipts through our office. At any later date upon their request we will sell them at the price they name. We will forward certificates at any time upon request.

This is going to be a great Oil Year, with so many wells drilling or getting ready to drill.

G. H. LINDSAY
Gaetz Ave. Red Deer

PREDICT BIG CROP IN WEST

Increased Acreage and Better Seedbed Report

Winnipeg, June 2.—Estimates of the Canadian Pacific Railway in January gave the acreage for Western Canada for this year as an increase of two million acres over last year. Estimates now prepared show that this year will see 20,514,300 acres under crop, as compared with 18,700,000 last year, the increase in actual acres being 1,715,300.

SEEDBED IS BETTER.
These figures are arrived at by estimates given by the different government agricultural departments and by careful estimates made by men specially sent out by the Canadian Pacific Railway company to gather accurate data.

In all parts of the three provinces the seedbed is in far better condition this year than in many years past, due to the better distribution of moisture. In Manitoba, where there is the greatest increase in acreage sown, much of the land had been summer-fallowed last year and the average yield per acre will naturally show an increase.

In southern Alberta there was more moisture this year than in several previous years, and it is considered that crop prospects in that section are, on an average, better than previous years.

Saskatchewan, taken as a whole, looks this year, with normal weather conditions, to be assured of a good crop.

Reliance Oils Limited. Why?

Here are sound reasons why Reliance Oils Limited (Non Personal Liability) is the safest and best Company to invest with today.

The Company is composed of Dependable Edmonton Business men who guarantee in their prospectus to give you a square deal. The Company covers both the Nakumun and Okotoks fields. All moneys will be used for immediate drilling and purchasing new leases—nothing else. No promotion stock—no paid officers.

These facts explain why three issues of stock have been sold in the last week. The fourth at 25c. per share (par \$1.00) is now selling fast. Phone. Write or Wire today.

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Fiscal Agent, 510 Tegner Block
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One Reliable Agent Wanted in each town. Wire today for contract.

RED DEER CITIZEN'S BAND

The report which has been circulated throughout the city to the effect that the Red Deer Citizen's Band has disbanded, is absolutely without foundation. The fact is that the members of the band at the last meeting, which was held on Wednesday evening, the 10th inst., resolved to discontinue regular practices and give up the hall until such time as they could obtain a hall. At the present time the band has been incurring a debt of \$6.00 per month for hall rent, and the members are endeavoring to raise money to pay the same. At the same time the band has been without one or two good solo cornet players and another bass player, their chances were not very good for being able to play.

Concerns for the city and thereby earn the grant, which was the only definite revenue in sight.

The recommendation of the band, who volunteered to give his services free for the two months past, provided the band could not earn the grant, the band decided upon the course outlined above, there by cutting off expense, but ready at any time to get down to business again.

It is all very well for the citizens of Red Deer or any other place to express appreciation of the work of a band when they may go and listen to the course outlined above, there by cutting off expense, but ready at any time to get down to business again.

So it comes right down to the fact point that the citizens of Red Deer who employ labor must give some thought to the band if they wish to have a band. Members for the band must be given employment or they must seek it elsewhere. It is not expected that a man above, there by cutting off expense, but ready at any time to get down to business again. The Council has made the grant; the present members of the band have faithfully endeavored to do their part, and it remains now for the citizens of Red Deer to show their interest in the band by keeping some in mind at all times when engaging help.

If you can help in this connection kindly phone J. E. Welton, bandmaster, who may have an application on file for a bandman, or who will be glad to advertise for one.

Eckville

The box social, held last Friday, was, financially, very successful. Over \$50.00 was realized. Our thanks are due to Mr. Batty, who acted as auctioneer, and filled the position admirably, and also to the ladies who made the arrangements and gave so much of their time and thought. During the evening Mrs. Kidd and Mr. Proctor favored with songs. The proceeds will go toward buying a musical instrument for use in the town hall.

Mrs. Metcalf has returned from visiting her son Ed. at Sedgewick. A. Eckford was on a business trip to the Brazun Mines last week.

Mr. Brown holds church service in Eckville every Sunday at 11:30. The attendance so far has not been up to the mark, but Mr. Brown hopes for better things.

We hear that another one-time resident of the Eckville district is about to return, in fact, a whole family of them. Don't you know it? Everybody come back; it's only natural.

Commission is Complete Success in Many Cities

Washington, June 12.—Of 105 cities in the United States having more than 30,000 population, 69 have adopted one of several forms of commission government, discharging mayors and city councils, according to census bureau statistics made public today.

The most significant feature of the report is that of the 69 commission cities, 61 were operated in 1912 at less cost per capita than other 134 cities which adopted the commission plan since February, 1913, are not included.

Of the commission cities, Allentown, Pennsylvania, is given first place for cheap operation. Washington, D.C., has the highest rate per capita.

Greece And Turkey Are Nearing War

Athens, Greece, June 12.—A warning to Turkey which fell little short of a formal declaration of hostilities was ordered today by Premier Venizelos, of Greece, in the chamber of deputies. He was speaking on the treatment of Greek subjects in Turkey.

VIGOROUS NOTE.
The Greek government today sent a vigorous note to Turkey demanding the cessation of the persecution of the Greeks in Turkey and the repair of damage caused to them and their interests.

MODEL FARM IN WEST

How It Is Proposed to Colonize 14,000 Acres Near Kinelsa

Mr. Almon Hunt and Mr. Hal Carlton of London, England, intend to colonize a tract of land of about 14,000 acres lying near Kinelsa on the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, about 75 miles east of Edmonton. The novelty of the plan lies in the fact that the promoters will endeavor to attract in particular the man who has not had any previous experience in farming. They will have a model "three hundred and twenty acre farm in the centre of the tract. This model farm will be run on a strictly business basis while at the same time it will be of educational value. It will show the new settler how to erect the best and cheapest kind of houses and other buildings and the best manner of raising horses, cattle, hogs, poultry, grain, fodder, crops on a commercial paying basis. The model farm will also teach how to best handle the land itself from the initial breaking to the harvesting of the crops. Arrangements will be made for the marketing of all kinds of produce, and advice will be given as to the necessary equipment of the farm, including both live stock and machinery. If the newcomer does not wish to buy equipment for use the first year, but is desirous of confining his operations to fencing, building and general initial development work, then the model farm will break his land and put in his crop at moderate prices. It has been arranged to temporarily house at Kinelsa any settler while he is putting up a house and if those who are bachelors desire they may board at a low rate at the model farm. The project is somewhat of a co-operative one as everything will be bought in large quantities thereby reducing prices. Marketing will also be done on a co-operative basis to a great extent.



MR. Q. W. CURRIE
Unionist M.P. for Lethbridge.

LITTLE BRAIN WAVES

Man's instinct is to kill, woman's to kiss.

Scandal comes out with ten as sure as each with men's.

The world doesn't judge a man by his own clothes, but by his wife's.

We have often wondered who furnished the tools for some of the self-made men.

Contradict yourself early and often; any fool can keep on holding the same opinion.

A great deal of what passes for dignity is nothing but genuine laziness.

The real hero of many a novel is the man who undertakes to publish it.

Women say that every husband has except moustaches and bald heads.

A woman in her best clothes wants admiration; at all other times she prefers love.

The human race is divided into two classes—those who go ahead and do something, and those who sit still and inquire, "Why wasn't it done the other way?"

Refuse From Lumber
A Vancouver lumberman has estimated that "one ton of refuse goes to the burner for every thousand feet of lumber cut." In his own sawmill he has eliminated this waste by breaking up the refuse into small pieces which are manufactured into fuel briquettes at a cost of only \$3 a ton.

Substitute For Linseed
English patent manufacturers have found oil made from seeds of Brazilian rubber trees an acceptable substitute for linseed oil.

Building Land
Land is being built out to sea from the mouths of the Mississippi river at an estimated average rate of 300 feet a year.

Dairying In Holland

Holland manufactures about 143,000,000 pounds of butter and about 176,000,000 pounds of cheese annually.

Many Greenland women are bald on the sides of their heads, owing to their method of dressing the hair, which is pulled back tightly and held in place by a ribbon.

Newspapers In Britain

There are forty daily publications in London, 183 dailies in the rest of the kingdom, the British weekly and monthly publications total 2,643 and 1,482 respectively. England, excluding London, has 138 daily papers and 1,365 weeklies, Wales has eight dailies and 121 weeklies, while Ireland stands well in the journalistic world with nineteen dailies and 200 weeklies. In London there are 694 weekly publications.

SEVEN YEARS IS SENTENCE IMPOSED

Man Found Guilty of Crime Against Child Goes to Penitentiary

Calgary, June 4.—Seven years in Edmonton penitentiary was the sentence meted out by Mr. Justice Walsh to James Stuart McLean, who was found guilty by his lordship on Tuesday last for carnal knowledge of a four-year-old girl.

Before passing sentence Mr. Justice Wallace said: "Assaults upon young girls are becoming far too frequent in this country, and something must be done to show people that they cannot do these things. It is one of the sacred duties of the court to protect young girls and women from assaults of this nature. 'I have not the slightest doubt,' said his lordship, 'that you are

guilty of the crime the crown charged you with. You are not a hardened criminal; you are only a boy, and your manager came here to speak on your behalf. It is very, very sad that at this period of your life, when you are starting out in your career, you should have given way to a passion that should never have been created; however, the little girl will always bear in her body the evidences of your lust.

"You are sentenced to seven years in Edmonton penitentiary," concluded Mr. Justice Walsh. McLean took his sentence very calmly, and as he left the courtroom a number of his friends shook him by the hand.

Destructive Cyclone In Ontario

Woodstock, Ont., June 7.—A terrible storm, similar to that which destroyed a considerable part of the city of Regina on June 30, 1912, visited the district within two miles of this city this afternoon and two are reported dead as the result. The storm, which had been brewing for several hours, and which had been preceded by all the typical conditions of a cyclone, began at five o'clock. Over the Oxford hotel a funnel-shaped cloud could be seen making two distinct circles of the city. The cloud at first was black and later became white.

The storm struck the earth in full force at a point a mile and a quarter north of the city, and ran for a mile and a quarter east from one concession to another. Residents who were familiar with the great catastrophe in Regina, state that it was almost similar to the storm in that city. Had it struck Woodstock the loss of life might have been as great.

The dead, according to the report

at the time of writing, are Mr. and Mrs. John Bartley. Their house was completely destroyed. Mr. and Mrs. Bartley had one boy, who is said to have escaped. One mile from the Bartley home the lower portion of a tree was driven completely through a second farm house, which was also completely wrecked.

Hundreds of trees in this district were uprooted by the storm, which is still raging with the greatest vigor here. Rain is falling in torrents, but no danger is apprehended. The sky is livid white overhead in spite of the pouring rain, and presents a strange appearance. Hail is now falling, as large as eggs, and the storm is growing worse.

MOSQUITO BITES

Nothing stops the stinging, smarting and itching like ZAM-BUK. Don't let the children, or yourself, suffer longer. Apply ZAM-BUK and be "bite-proof!"

ZAM-BUK

Sale of Timber in the Clear-water Forest Reserve

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Forest Supervisor, Rocky Mountain House, Alberta, will be received at this office until 4 p.m. on Monday, July 6, 1914, for the construction of the addition and alteration mentioned.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the offices of Mr. Thos. Tyler, Caretaker, Public Building, Medicine Hat, Alta.; Mr. Leo Dowler, Architect, Calgary, Alta.; Mr. H. E. Matthews, Superintendent Architect of the Dominion Public Buildings, Winnipeg, Man., and at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless signed and sealed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an acceptance of a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 per cent.) of the amount of the tender. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, June 8, 1914.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—C2765.
June 17, 2v.

Building Land

Land is being built out to sea from the mouths of the Mississippi river at an estimated average rate of 300 feet a year.

Dairying In Holland
Holland manufactures about 143,000,000 pounds of butter and about 176,000,000 pounds of cheese annually.

Newspapers In Britain

There are forty daily publications in London, 183 dailies in the rest of the kingdom, the British weekly and monthly publications total 2,643 and 1,482 respectively. England, excluding London, has 138 daily papers and 1,365 weeklies, Wales has eight dailies and 121 weeklies, while Ireland stands well in the journalistic world with nineteen dailies and 200 weeklies. In London there are 694 weekly publications.

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The undersigned Furniture Dealers in the City of Red Deer have agreed to close their places of business on Wednesday Afternoons during the months of July and August : : : :

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President.

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Sec.-Treas.

CROSSED IN LOVE

How the Building of Spite Fence Reunited Lovers Separated Twenty Years.

By HUBERT ROSCOE.

It certainly was a desirable property from every point of view, but one point of view was permanently included, and that was the outlook upon old Mr. Smith's garden. It was an enormous garden, almost big enough for the grounds of an institution, and from Mr. Smith's front gate Mrs. Harnack could see rows of magnificent elms and locust trees and flower beds which always seemed to bloom with seasonable flowers. But from her side windows she could see nothing.

"It's the spite fence," explained the agent. "That's why the property's so cheap. Mr. Smith resented the late owner's building next to him, and so he put it up."

It was a formidable fence, twenty feet high, and built of lumber, painted green on Mr. Smith's side, and bearing a luxurious growth of ivy, but on the outside just plain, unpainted boards.

"I think he is a horrid old man," said Adeline Harnack angrily. "And you may tell him so."

"I haven't seen him for two years," answered the agent. "He never strays outside his grounds. He's an old hermit and has a grudge against the world. They say he was crossed in love."

"How old is he?" asked Mrs. Harnack curiously.

"Oh, about fifty," answered the agent carelessly.

So Mrs. Harnack bought the property. It was just the place, she told herself, for a widowed lady to settle down, and there was an excellent finishing school near by for Miriam, her only child. And days passed and weeks passed, but neither saw Mr. Smith.

One day the agent stopped her in the street.

"I hear you're going to have a neighbor," he said, grinning.

"What, somebody else going to build on the other side?" asked Adeline Harnack apprehensively. She



"It's Really You, Adeline!"

was afraid of another spite fence, and she loved the view from her windows, for Coaster Town was a pretty place with shade trees and gardens.

"No, Mrs. Harnack," the agent answered. "Old Mr. Smith's neighbor John is coming to live with him. We heard about it from the baker's man, who's sweet on that girl of Mrs. Tracey's. Mr. Smith's house-keeper, his brother died a pauper and left John in his care. They say he's a fine-looking young fellow, and he's out of college. Wonder what old man Smith will do with him."

"Teach him to be a fence-maker, I suppose," said Mrs. Harnack crossly. The spite fence was becoming more than an eyesore, and she hated Mr. Smith and wished him at the bottom of the sea.

Young John Smith was put into a lawyer's office in Coaster Town. He was a fresh-faced, pleasant young fellow, and showed no symptoms of any desire to keep up the feud. One day, when Miriam had been home from school two weeks, Mrs. Harnack, walking with her, saw her daughter bow, and John Smith raised his hat as he passed on the opposite side of the road.

"How do you know him?" demanded the mother.

"Oh, I was introduced," answered her daughter evasively.

Then, understanding, Miriam, I forbid you to speak to him again or notice him."

"Very well, mamma," answered the daughter submissively.

But her mother had once been young and in love, before an untimely fortune separated her from her lover and married her off to Mr. Harnack, stout, forty-five and bald. She was resolved to prevent any possibility of Miriam's disobedience. That night she wrote a letter to her neighbor.

"I have abstained from asking you to remove your spite fence, because you have the law on your side, if you have no sense of neighborliness. But I positively forbid your nephew to speak to my daughter again."

The letter came back. Underneath was scrawled:

"I have told my nephew that I'll dishonor him unless he keeps better company."

That, shown to Miriam, was a collector, the mother thought.

But on the next day carpenters arrived at Mr. Smith's house, and they proceeded to erect a rough scaffolding on the outside of the fence. And the next day painters mounted it, and before nightfall the exterior bore the sign, in huge letters of yellow and red:

"Try Pyramid Pills for That Throat Feeling."

Adeline Harnack was away that day in town. When she got back she saw the sign. She was furious.

"Miriam, I am going to stop this if

it takes every penny I have," she said. "I am going straight down to Mr. Capel, the lawyer, to instruct him to get out an injunction."

"But, mamma,"

"Now, not a word, Miriam!"

"All right, mamma, only John—I mean Mr. Smith—is working in Mr. Capel's office."

The name betrayed the secret which the girl's tones concealed. Mrs. Harnack turned on her.

"Why do you call him John?" she asked idly. "Is it possible—possible?"

She looked at her daughter's scarlet face, and then at the sign on anything between you and that contemptible young man?"

"Miriam began to cry. 'I love John,' she sobbed. 'And he loves me, and he's coming to see you tomorrow afternoon.'"

"No, indeed," answered her mother. "I am going to see him, and his uncle, too, and tell them what I think of them."

She waited till she saw the young man pass the front gate, with many wistful upward glances, then, giving him time to change his office clothes, she suddenly entered the Smith grounds and sallied up to the house. Her anger was at the boiling point when she arrived at the front door.

"Is Mr. Smith in?" she asked of the housekeeper.

"Mr. John Smith or Mr. Jonathan Smith?" asked the woman curiously.

"Jonathan," said Mrs. Harnack quietly, and the housekeeper thought it was the answer to her question.

But she was not to be so easily deceived. The name in wonder. Could there be two Jonathan Smiths, or was it—?

"Walk in, please," said the housekeeper, and a half minute later the visitor found herself in the presence of the recluse.

He had not changed to greatly. He was the same man whom she had once loved so passionately, save for the

tal of the years. All at once she began to recall the old days, the memories which now in her widowhood began to creep out of her heart's hiding places. And he knew her.

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Allows Simple Trick of Sweet-heart's Brother to Turn Him Against Her.

By HAROLD CARTER.

It is not only the murderer who comes back, drawn irresistibly to the scene of his offense against the human law. Everyone who has done wrong, everyone who has been unfortunate, everyone who has suffered, even, returns some day to the place where the event occurred which marked a black bar in the spectroscopic of his life. It was so with Arthur Kane.

Five years before he had stood in the same spot, at the same time of day, on just such an evening, outside Evelyn's house, at the foot of her garden. Then he had been poor; now he was wealthier than he had ever expected to be; but then he had been happy and now, of all men, he was the most miserable. And on the very day of his return to the place of his birth he had come back, drawn irresistibly as he had always known that he would be.

It was summer then and it was summer now; the same rose bushes were blooming, the same moon was rising over the house-tops; nothing had changed except his heart. The years, which had meant so much to him, seemed to have left everything but himself much as it had been.

Five years before Kane had been an underpaid clerk in the Fourth National bank, seven blocks away, in the heart of the business section. And Evelyn had been a stenographer in the same town. She lived with her widowed mother and her little brother Henry. Arthur had always known her, but their engagement had come about quite suddenly and simply. He had discovered unsuspected depths of tenderness in her heart, and she had cared for her all through her lingering illness. The night before she breathed her last she said to Arthur:

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Revealed by Finger Nails.

How Absolute Person May Judge With Absolute Certainty the Character of His Neighbor.

It is always amusing to speculate on the character of one's neighbor. A very simple aid in so doing is to watch the nails. If a man's or woman's nails are long and slender, you may be quite certain that he or she is not so robust physically, as the possessor of short, broad nails.

Whereas men and women with the long, narrow type of nails are inveterate visionaries, those having short nails are almost always conspicuous for their practicality and common sense. It is the latter who make the best and most reliable critics.

A further and almost certain characteristic of long nailed persons is their intense deprecation of themselves and their own efforts in any branch of work. The feeling almost amounts to a presumption with them. Such a point of view, however, seldom worries those possessing short nails. In fact, more often than not, rather the reverse is the case; they are inclined to be overture of themselves.

Back Broken, Walke.

Waldorf Miller, of New Rochelle, N. Y., who contrary to the prediction of physicians, has lived for nearly 18 months with a broken back, celebrated his Christmas by going out for his first walk in the streets since July 3, 1911, when he received the injury while driving. His case had received so much publicity that victims of similar accidents in all parts of the country sent him letters, to which he replied with Christmas greetings. A neighbor prepared an unusual present for him in the shape of a silk quilt with the names of his young women embroidered on it. Each girl embroidered her own name, and paid ten cents for the privilege, the money being given to Miller with the quilt.

Paid \$1,575 for an Egg Boiler.

At a sale in London last week of the late Lady Caroline Lamb's belongings, furniture and objects of art, Charles Davis gave \$1,575 for a Covington egg boiler. It is painted with landscapes and small figures, and has gilt scroll borders on its sides. The same purchaser gave \$1,212 for an ornate-mounted Louis XVI. mahogany secrétaire with a revolving cylinder front.

He meant to spend only a day in the town, to learn of Evelyn and Marston, to rejoice in their happiness and then depart as quietly as he could. But when he learned that Evelyn was still unmarried, and that Marston had left the town, the old love surged up in his heart again and the old impulse drew him against his will toward the little house where Evelyn still lived.

As he stood by the gate a tall boy suddenly came in from the street, saw him, stopped short, and accepted him.

"Mr. Kane!" he exclaimed.

Kane turned. "Why, Benny?" he said, taken aback. "How have you grown?" he added lamely. "I would have known you."

"I heard you were back," said Benny shyly. "I've been looking for you all over the town. Won't you come in?"

"No, thanks," said Kane, beginning to lose his self-control. "I have to be leaving just this evening."

"Mother and Evelyn won't be home till late," said Benny. "Say," he continued, "I want to show you something. I've got a new suit. It's my fault Evelyn and you had that trouble."

"Your fault?" exclaimed the other.

"Yes, Mr. Kane. It was an awful blow to her when you went away. She just cried and cried for days, but she wouldn't let anyone write and tell her. But it was all my fault. So," he said confidentially, "come in just a minute. I want to clear myself. I can't tell her if you don't want me to."

Kane's feet almost dragged him against his will into the little parlor. Nothing was changed since he had last been in the middle of the table.

"You thought she was kissing Marston," said Benny, awkwardly. "Look! It was this way—just fun. She was amusing me."

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U.F.A. Edwell Union No. 53, Annual Picnic.

Amid the leafy bowers and sylvan shades of Mr. T. Kirtin's grounds, kindly lent for the occasion, the Edwell Local Union celebrated their 53rd annual picnic on Thursday, June 11th, and notwithstanding the threatening weather, a crowd of members, their families and friends,

numbering over three hundred, flocked together to enjoy this increasingly popular outing. The dullness of the weather was, however, cheered by the brilliant and graceful play of the newest fashions in hats and frocks of the ladies, in fact, to see the newest fashions one must attend the Edwell U.F.A. picnic.

The racing, which opened the proceedings, was much enjoyed, and the jumping was particularly brilliant. The Edwell and Grassy Lake Athletic Association played Pine Lake at football for the Currie Challenge Cup, the score being, Pine Lake 1, Edwell and Grassy Lake Athletic Association 0.

The same Association played Horn Hill a match at baseball, and put it all over the latter. Among the victors were: Mr. P. Archer, M.L.A.; Rev. Mr. Meek; Ray Gilbert, representing Hillsdown Union; Dr. Warke, representing Pine Lake Union; and Mr. H. W. Wood, of Garfield, who gave a very interesting address to the company present, impressing upon the members the necessity of opening their eyes and ears to the world around them.

His remarks were very much appreciated, and a hearty vote of thanks tendered him for having come so far to honor the proceedings. Had the roads been in a better condition a greater number of friends from a distance would, doubtless, have been there. The refreshment stalls were provided over by our energetic members, Messrs. J. Comer, W. Gummow and F. R. Ellis.

At five o'clock the crowd fell on the good things provided for supper, and the ladies who superintended the meal received the heartiest thanks of the Union for their energetic work.

"With the forks and knives the boys and the girls and the fellows and their friends worked away like working for their lives."

"Till they ate up half the town." The following firms and friends were kindly presented prizes for the occasion, and are heartily thanked for their generosity: The Day Hardware Co., The W. E. Lord Co., The Guest-Comet Drug Co., Messrs. McLean Bros., T. A. Gaetz, Mr. Neilson, C. Schulz, H. J. Snell, Messrs. Lowes Bros., Smith & Gaetz, Messrs. Brown & Fulton, W. T. Coote, The Standard Drug Co., W. P. Landon, and Dr. F. McEwan.

The following is a list of winners of the races, etc.: Boys, 6 and under, 50 yards—F. Cragg.

Girls, 6 and under, 50 yards—M. Richards.

Boys, 12 and under, 50 yards—W. Day.

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Boys, 100 yards—W. Day.

Girls, 100 yards—Ruby Henderson.

Men's race, 100 yards—C. Quinton.

Married men's race, 100 yards—H. Denny.

Hop, step and jump—C. Parker.

High jump—Clarence Trimble.

Both horse races were won by H. Rodgkinson.

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CITY FATHERS MEET

A Quiet Session

The regular meeting of the Council was held in the Council Chamber on Thursday, June 11th, Mayor Carswell presiding, and present Aldermen Smith, Watson, Coots and Carwell.

CORRESPONDENCE.

A letter was read from A. H. Ilsey, Mayor of Castor, asking for information on all matters in connection with waterworks, as the town of Castor were about to commit themselves to a nominal expenditure for waterworks. Information given in detail.

Letters re. debentures were received and read from the following: MacNeill & Young, Toronto, and Malone & Long, Toronto.

Mayor J. C. Moore, commanding the A Squadron of the Central Alberta Horse, wrote asking the Council to give leave of absence to any member of the C.A.H. in their employ to enable him to put in a full period of training at camp this year. He pointed out that the success of the militia system depended upon the co-operation of employers of labor. Pled.

A letter was read from William Ross, calling the Council's attention to the fact that he had his horse broken on April 21st by the ladder truck passing over it. As a result, he had been laid up ever since and was not yet able to get on his feet to pay the doctor for attendance. He asked for a grant of \$75.00, thinking that not too much, considering his loss of time and other expenses. Laid over for further report.

The Secretary of the Alberta Town Planning Association, acknowledging receipt of \$2.50, and said he had sent a copy of Mawson's report under another cover.

Mayor and Coots wrote submitting general plan of proposed sewer extensions and detailed estimate. They further asked consideration of their account in connection with this matter, as they had had considerable outlay in connection with preparation of plans, etc. Laid over until next meeting.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT.

Fire Chief Meares submitted report for May as follows: There was one fire on the grounds of the Ladies' College. Twenty-four firemen turned out. Damage slight. He would judge the water pressure at the nozzle was not over 20 lbs., and would have been of little use had there been a serious fire in the College.

There had been one fire alarm, with an attendance of 22 men. Four practices had been held, with an average attendance of 18 men. He reported several firemen out of work, and drew the Council's attention to the fact that there are men working for the City on the Square who are neither ratemakers, citizens, or firemen, nor capable or willing to do more work than some of the firemen, who were public-spirited, sober and industrious, and had shown their worth when the city needed them most. The time may be coming when these men would save the city from a serious conflagration, and it was not much encouragement to them to know that when they most work to live, they are passed over in favor of men who have neither the inclination or training to make good firemen.

He asked that, providing the firemen were equal in other respects, they be given preference on city work, otherwise they would be leaving for where they could procure work.

He reported having issued certificates to the various hotels regarding fire alarms and escapes.

The fire alarm system had been tested four times during the month and found working satisfactorily.

Weight scales receipts \$20.35.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

SEVERELY CRITICIZED

Alderman Watson thought the fire chief's report was most unequalled. He believed the firemen were to blame themselves. He knew where one man had stated that he joined the fire brigade because he could get an easier job. He (Alderman Watson) did not believe that a fireman should be preferred to steady ratemakers, particularly married men, and he did not believe in the fireman showing preference to them. He supported Foreman Morris in his actions.

Alderman Carswell did not think Chief Meares' report was justified. Such a criticism should not have been made in a report that has to be made public.

He made public the fact that he appeared to be between two fires, and was evidently trying to do the thing that was right, and as long as he did that he would receive his support. He would, however, always support a ratemaker for city work in preference to an outsider, and a fireman should receive a preference, all other things being equal.

Alderman Smith said that he had a lot of sympathy for the fire brigade, yet he thought he should be careful how far we interfered with the city foreman in regard to employing firemen. We held him responsible for the work, and he should have a free hand to get men who would give the best service.

Mayor Carswell said that in his opinion the fire chief was not justified in bringing the matter before the Council in his report. He could have interviewed the Commissioners, and the matter could have been brought to see if any injustice had been done to the firemen.

SITE PURCHASED FOR

SKATING RINK.

Th. H. Gaetz submitted a letter he had received from C. S. Lott, of

Calgary, in connection with the purchase of an additional site for land for that already proposed for skating rink purposes. This is offered to the city for the sum of \$300, bringing the total purchase price of 225 feet up to \$1,500. The transaction to be closed at once, otherwise they would prefer to retain the title to the 25 feet on the east side of the rink site.

Moved by Aldermen Smith and Carswell—that the Commissioners be empowered to purchase the additional 25 feet required for skating rink site, as per letter of C. S. Lott, of the 6th inst., at the price of \$300. Carried.

C. W. Sanders, Medical Health Officer, reported one case of scarlet fever during the month of May.

The License Inspector submitted his report for May as follows: Licenses collected, including milk dealers, stock and share brokers, real estate and insurance, draymen and billposters, total \$221.

CHIEF OF POLICE'S REPORT. Chief of Police Anderson reported for May as follows:

Twelve cases before the Court during the month; drunk and incapable, 5; drugs and disorderly, 2; cruelty to animals, 1; charged with assaulting the police, 1; obstruction of police in execution of their duty, 1. Two summons served for riding horse over boulevards. One case of destitution, the city office paying for a Calgary, which had been taken home by the returned.

Doors found open, 10; are lamps unlit, 17; persons given a bed for the night, 30. Money collected in fines, \$94.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORT. The Commissioners brought in the following report:

We submit monthly report from the Medical Health Officer, Chief of Police and Fire Chief for May.

We submit statement of receipts and disbursements for May.

We have instructed the city engineer to take charge of the work of completing the leveling of the City Square.

We submit herewith accounts for your authorization to pay.

We submit the following by-laws for your authorization: To levy a water frontage tax; to raise a sum of money for improvements to Exhibition Grounds.

We recommend that we be authorized to have a three-quarter inch water connection laid from the main to the nearest corner of the cemetery, a distance of about 100 feet. The cost should be about \$50.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

S. N. CARSCALLEN, A. T. STEPHENSON, Commissioners.

Moved by Aldermen Coots and Watson—that the Commissioners' report be received and adopted. Carried.

A letter was read from the Secretary of the Laurentide Milk Company, asking that the property and business be exempted from taxation for the year 1914. Referred to assessment committee.

By-law No. 366, providing for a special tax or water rate of 10 cents per foot over and above all other rates and assessments) was passed. This tax effects owners or ratemakers whether they use water or not. It is provided that where there are frontages and flankage, frontage only shall be charged, and where there is flankage only, flankage only shall be charged.

Moved by Aldermen Coots and Watson—that the Commissioners bring in a report at the meeting on what steps would be necessary to be taken to have our taxes paid quarterly. Carried.

C. Cruickshank was present at the Council meeting, and Mayor Carswell, as is usual, asked him if he had anything to say, or if he was only in attendance to show his interest in the city work.

Mr. Cruickshank said he wanted to put a proposition to the Council. He did not know whether it would be taken up or not. He thought it was owing to the way the money had been spent in town that made his property valueless, etc. Mr. Cruickshank was not clear in his remarks, and it was some time before it was clearly understood what he was aiming at.

He wished to offer his property, Lots 4 and 5 in Block 5, to the City at the prices it was assessed at. He claimed that the assessment was not high, in fact, it was low, and he had no intention of appealing, but it was owing to taxes that it was useless to him. He could not get rent for it, and would be a relief to him and a good investment for the city.

Mayor Carswell treated Mr. Cruickshank in a very courteous manner. He thought that Mr. Cruickshank was joking, but on being assured that he was not, he advised Mr. Cruickshank that the city were not buying real estate, but it would be advisable for him to place his offer in writing and submit it to the Council and it would every attention given it.

Mr. Cruickshank thanked the Council and withdrew.

A by-law to raise the sum of \$2,000 to wipe off the deficit of the Agricultural Society was read a first time, and the committee reported progress and asked leave to sit again at next meeting of the Council. This money, with the exception of about \$200 needed for necessary repairs this year, has been spent, and the responsibility assumed by private citizens. This is not as it should be, and the by-law to cover this deficit will be placed before the people, along with the by-law for

ROYAL YEAST

MAKES PERFECT BREAD

the skating rink, when both should have the support of the citizens.

Under the heading of new business, Alderman Watson brought forward the question of the sewer outlet. Complaints had been made of the stench coming from broken pipes.

The Commissioners promised to go into the matter as soon as possible, to present the water was too high to do anything.

Alderman Coots said he would like to know what action was necessary to change the by-laws so that taxes could be paid quarterly.

Commissioner Stephenson gave what information he could on the subject, and a motion was brought in to deal with it at next meeting of the Council.

Council adjourned at 11 o'clock.

FOSSIL HUNT IN ALBERTA

Barnum Brown and Party to Renew Search in Red Deer District

New York, June 5.—Barnum Brown will go back to the Red Deer river region in Alberta, Canada, this summer to hunt for skeletons of dinosaurs.

Mr. Brown is the American Museum of Natural History. Mr. Brown probably has dug up more specimens of this ancient animal than any other fossil hunter.

One of his advance guards, P. C. Kaizen, of the museum staff, will go into the Red Deer field this week.

Last year, before leaving the same region, Mr. Brown and the members of his expedition found a number of valuable fossils, which they will dig up this summer. For four years the American museum has been making a collection of dinosaurs from the Red Deer river region. In this period several hundred large cases have been filled, or altogether two and a half carloads of fossils.

Mr. Brown is now preparing for exhibition in the museum a specimen of a dinosaur of the track of the family. It is believed to be about 3,000,000 years old, and is complete with the exception of the tip of the tail and its forelegs. It is about 35 feet in length.

THE TRIUMPH OF WOMAN

"Kit" in June Canada Monthly. At last we have the rights of the woman—the reason for woman's ultimate ascendancy over man—the reason d'être of Mrs. Pankhurst and her army of smashes—

Eve was created first! There it is, in a nutshell—the wherefore and why the female of the species is deadlier than the male. The theory is, of course, advanced by the doctor. In the drugstore the physician, having little to do in the way of healing, has taken to writing for the magazines and papers, and the articles are at least novel and amusing, especially this statement as to an Adamless Eden.

One Dr. Hunter is the authority. He has discovered that old Mother Eve had the garden to herself and the serpent, is not explained. Doubtless some microbes which (or whom) the good doctor interviewed in the processes of the laboratory communicated the matter to him. Microbes could explain a great deal that is still dark and mysterious—if they would. But they are silent creatures, conserving their activities for work upon us. Our independent investigator student of biology, geology, ethnology and all the otherologies—assures us that Eve's sex first ruled the universe. Then (mere) man came, and like the over-mastering creature he is, asserted his brute force, and began bossing and beating the women. Unused to treatment of that sort, they promptly fell in with him, and he ruled them as he pleased until Mrs. Pankhurst came to wake them up. Now the war is on, and no doubt it will be a case of the survival of the fittest. We offer the suggestion of Dr. Hunter as a fresh plank for the suffragette platform—for what it is worth, merely commenting that we are thankful for such small mercies as not having lived when Eden was Adamless, and not being in the least likely to be here when that unhappy estate arrived.

We are fond of our old Adam.

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June Rod and Gun

Under the title "Little Stories of Nature," H. Mortimer Batten in the June issue of Rod and Gun (published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.), relates some interesting and curious facts concerning plants and animals.

Among the list of good things it contains special mention may be made of "A Dog's Confession," the fascinating autobiography of an unfortunate dog; "One Hundred Miles in the Guide's Special," descriptive of a canoeing trip in Timagami Forest Reserve; "A Gay Doover," an entertaining tale with the Boy, the "Princess" and the big trout as central characters.

As regards both text and illustrations the June number is well worthy of perusal by all interested in the out-of-doors.

SEATED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Supplying Coal for the Dominion Buildings" will be received at this office until 4:00 P.M. on Monday, July 6, 1914, for the supply of coal for the Public Buildings throughout the Dominion.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained on application at this office and from the caretakers of the different Dominion buildings.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 per cent) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the contract. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, June 2, 1914.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—62371.

June 17, 2nd.

COMPETENT SERVANTS WANTED.

Wanted, a competent general servant. Apply Mrs. Lees, No. 116 6th Street North-East. June 3, 1914.

HORSES FOR SALE.

Some fine young geldings and fillies for sale, broken and unbroken; also some half bred Hackney drivers, well broken, not afraid of autos, plenty of gc in them, and will be sold reasonable. Apply to J. J. RICHARDS & SONS. Red Deer, Jan. 29, 1913.

COWS FOR SALE.

Anyone wanting fresh dairy cows, or cows coming in early in the fall, apply to R. P. P. Fendall, 3rds. right. June 10, 3rds.

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never listened to a more magnificent musical programme. The following bands have been engaged: The Winnipeg Citizens' Band, the Calgary Citizens' Band, 103rd Regiment Band and the Lethbridge City Band. A special feature of the evening programme on each day of the fair will be the military tattoo, in which four bands will take part, with a total of 125 musicians. This year the combined bands will contain twenty-five brass instruments than last year, and the music will unquestionably be the best ever presented in Western Canada. On Citizens' Day, Friday, July 3rd, the Calgary Pipes' Band will add to the programme, and Miss Miquelon will perform one of her inimitable Caledonian dances.

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TENDERS FOR BOOTH.

Tenders are called for three booths (already erected) on the fair grounds, for Dominion Day sports meeting, July 1st. Tenders may be handed in separately for each booth or for all three; and must reach the Secretary not later than the noon mail on Saturday, June 20th.

W. H. HADLEY, Secretary.
June 10, 2v.

Notice Under the Land Titles Act

Whereas Edward Meheener, of Red Deer, in the Province of Alberta, the registered owner of the North-East quarter of Section Fifteen (15), Township Thirty-Eight (38), Range Twenty-Seven (27), West of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta, as set forth in Certificate of Title No. 128-Q-13, has produced proof of the accidental loss or destruction of the duplicate Certificate of Title thereof, and has applied to me for the issue to him of a fresh duplicate Certificate of Title.

NOTICE is hereby given that after four (4) weeks from the first publication of this notice, a fresh duplicate Certificate of Title will issue to him, unless in the meantime good cause is shown why same should not issue.

DATED at Edmonton this 20th day of April, 1914.

J. L. McNAMARA, Registrar.
June 10, 4v.

EGGS

FOR SETTING

Buff Orpington a \$1.50 for 13

One man got 54 chickens from 60 eggs. Leave your money in Red Deer and get fertile eggs at reasonable prices. No orders for this season taken after June 27.

Cash with order
PHONE 31, Advocate office or call and inspect my poultry.

W. Beaumont
Red Deer West

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May 27, 1v.

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Look over our stock before buying

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LOOK THESE OVER

Light Driving Harness. Single or Double. Also Stock Saddles.

Not to be Beaten in Price or Value

SCHULZ

THE GAETZ AVE.
HARNESS MAN

Court of Revision Meet in City Hall

The Court of Revision for the Municipality of the City of Red Deer met yesterday afternoon in the Council Chamber to hear appeals against the 1914 assessments. The Court was called to order by Mayor Carscallen at two o'clock, there being some fifty or sixty ratepayers present at the time. The appeals number in all about 150, independent of business assessments, which is away in excess of any year previous.

During the afternoon sessions about fifty appeals were heard, practically all of the appellants losing their appeals on the ground that the assessment was higher than the actual value of the property, and contrary to the law of the province. Previous to the hearing of the first appeal the Mayor announced that no decisions would be handed out until the whole of the appeals had been heard. The attitude of the Court appeared to be sympathetic, and that of the appellants reasonable.

The court, which adjourned at 5.30 p.m., to meet again at 8 p.m., was composed of Mayor Carscallen, Alderman Botterill, Alderman Lord, Alderman Cooke, Alderman Smith and Alderman Watson, Commissioner Stephenson, Assessor John Macdonald and City Solicitor G. W. Greent being in attendance.

Penhold Rifle Assoc'n

The following are the scores made at both ranges on Saturday, June 6:

Yds	Yds	Total
H. Kennings 31	29	60
H. Donomey 31	29	60
J. Reeves 28	32	60
F. Donomey 30	30	60
T. Kennings 30	30	60
W. Whiteside 26	31	57
A. Reeves 26	31	57
H. Hives 29	28	57
T. Hives 25	31	56
H. Henderson 25	31	56
W. Kennings 24	32	56
A. Pyle 28	28	56
J. Donomey 26	30	56
S. Quinton 22	34	56
E. Reeves 24	31	55
C. Weaver 22	33	55
W. Earler 14	41	55
S. Hives 21	34	55
J. Leithard 19	36	55
W. Walters 21	34	55
J. Parsons 11	44	55
T. Leithard 15	40	55
P. Pyle 16	39	55
M. Parsons 14	41	55

MAID WANTED AT ONCE
Apply Mrs. W. Hammond, 1st St. E., Parkvale.
June 17.

HAIR WORK.

Miss Waller will attend ladies at their homes for hair dressing, manicuring, shampooing, face massage, etc. Combings made up. P.O. Box 428, phone 59, Red Deer.
May 27, 1v.

VALLEY FARMING LAND.

Large tract of good valley farming land just thrown open for free settlement, in Oregon. Over 200,000 acres in all. Good climate, rich soil and does not require irrigation to raise finest crops of grain, fruit, and garden truck. For large map, full instructions and information, and a plan of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send \$3.40 to John Keefe, Eugene, Oregon, three years a U.S. surveyor and timberman. An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market.

WANTED.

Work by the day, washing or other household work—MRS. MICHAELS, P.O. Box 13.
Red Deer, June 17, 1v.

NOTICE!

To the ratepayers of Local Improvement District 339

The Secretary-Treasurer of the above-named district will be at the following places on the dates given to receive payment of taxes:
Ray Gilbert's House—June 26th.
Edwell School House—June 27th.
A rebate of 10 per cent. will be given on all current taxes paid before July 1st.

By order of the Council.
W. P. CODE,
Sec'y-Treas., L.I.D. 339,
Red Deer, June 17, 2v.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

S.O.B. meet tonight at 8 sharp.

T. A. Gaetz is in Calgary for a few days on business.

C. W. Parke is a visitor in Calgary for a few days.

Joe Wright, of Calgary, is in the city for a few days.

Mrs. A. Durand is visiting friends in St. Louis.

A. A. Revell, of Calgary, is visiting with friends in town this week.

Pantries will be given away all day Saturday at the Station Park.

Mrs. H. H. Humber and children left on Sunday to trip to Vancouver and the Okanagan Valley.

Supper, Halstead will be at the Station Park on Saturday next to distribute flower rosettes to citizens.

Mrs. G. W. Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. G. LaFrance, at home.

Have you seen the Cadillac vacuum cleaner at Best? It is simply dirt.

R. E. Fiske is representing Hillsdown Church at the Anglican Synod in Calgary.

Rev. C. H. Hoeftis and Hugh Clark are building summer residences at Sylvan Lake.

Buy your oil shares from the Red Deer Oil and Gas Company. It will be profitable.

In the Methodist Church, next Sunday evening, June 21st, Dr. Wilson will preach on "Can we still believe in Hell?"

At a meeting of the L.I.D. at Pine Lake, it was decided to fix up the road running west from Cronquist's, which is badly needed.

Mrs. W. J. Botterill and children are visiting relatives at Flenking, Sask. Mr. Botterill accompanied them as far as Calgary.

The Red Deer Brick Co. has issued a writ against the Cement Builders to recover \$9,754 and interest, balance due on payment for plant.

St. Luke's Young People's Dramatic Club presented the Arabian Nights at Inland last night to a crowded and enthusiastic audience.

You can buy a Cadillac electric vacuum cleaner from The Best Furniture Co. for \$30.00; and it's a little dandy.

Miss E. Armstrong, sister of Mrs. E. Graves, has returned to Red Deer from Ontario, where she has been visiting relatives.

A. G. Ayres, Grand Auditor of the S.O.E., has been in Calgary for a few days on business in connection with the Society.

Arthur Cave, of the Dominion Lands Office staff, has been authorized to take or receive affidavits, oaths, statutory declarations and solemn affirmations.

The postponed Fire Brigade v. All-Canadian football match will be played tonight on the school grounds. Everybody should turn out and boost for their favorites.

Chief of Police Anderson will, in all probability, leave on Saturday for Winnipeg to attend the Chief of Police Convention being held in that city.

S. E. Putnam has undergone three operations recently in connection with his eyes and nose, and we are glad to say has benefited very much by them.

Mrs. J. E. Cunningham is slowly recovering from a sprained ankle, received several weeks ago from slipping on the front step of her residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brishin, who left for the coast some months ago, are spending a few days in town with friends before proceeding east, where they will spend the summer with friends at Toronto and other points.

Mrs. F. Billingshurst, Mrs. H. P. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Z. D. Brown, E. R. Hill, and Messrs. Baker and A. Goodey left for Calgary on Monday night as delegates to the Baptist convention.

The Anglican Church Synod is meeting in Calgary this week. The Red Deer delegates, including Rev. C. W. G. Moore, Ed. Wilton, Fred Billingshurst and J. A. Carswell left for Calgary on the evening train on Monday.

The first of the Great West Lumber Co.'s drive, numbering some 10,000 logs, reached the mill on Sunday week last. The boom broke at night, allowing a number of logs to get away. It is expected that the main drive will reach here in about a month, and that the mill will be running with a full crew.

Hello, are you going to the picnic? What picnic? Why, at Clearview. It's to be held on the school grounds on Thursday, the 25th of June, at one o'clock. There is to be sports of all kinds. Baseball, football, basketball, races, jumping, cowboy race, etc. Come and have the time of your life. Ladies bring baskets.

Geo. H. Lindsay, real estate and broker, has installed at his office on Gaetz Ave. a leased wire, which enables him to issue a bulletin for a period of a couple of hours during the forenoon and afternoon of the day, which is very often of great value to the public. This enables the public to see exactly what is taking place in the buying and selling of shares on the exchange, which is very often different to those sold on the streets. Mr. Lindsay is, therefore, in direct touch with the markets, and can give the latest and correct results to intending buyers or sellers of shares.

Don't forget "The Shepherd of the Hills" at the Empress Theatre, tonight. The play is worth your attention.

Messrs. Fred Lund, G. S. Ware, Vic. Day and Dr. Elvaston left for Edmonton last night to take part in the gun club shoot which takes place in that city today.

The annual congregational and Sunday School picnic of the Presbyterian Church will be held on Friday afternoon at three o'clock in Waskasoo Park, south of the city.

Commissioner Stephenson says he brought the rain last week by transplanting his pteryx. Every time he transplants a pteryx it rains. Now we know what to do when it is too dry—get the Comish to plant some more eelery.

A petition in favor of closing all streets at 1 p.m. on Wednesday of each week for the month of July and August is being circulated, and largely signed by the business men, store-keepers and citizens of the city. Put your name on the scroll of fame.

Don't forget the garden party to be held in the beautiful grounds of R. B. Welliver, Esq., about third week in July, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Luke's Church. Look out for date and special programme. Supper 25c, entrance fee 10c.

I expect to leave Red Deer for the coast on one of this week, and I am prepared to undertake any business commission; or anyone wishing to trade a farm for Vancouver property, will be pleased to take particulars, subject to my making a personal inspection of same, as I will also guarantee to do of properties offered in trade here. I shall be at my old place of business this week, after which my address is Frank Mott, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, 866, Granville Street, Vancouver, B.C.

The District Court opened in Red Deer yesterday before Judge Lees. The following is a list of the cases:

A number of the employees of the Cement Builders are suing the Company for wages. J. Quig for plaintiffs; Greene & Payne for defense.

P. Burke, manager of the Alberta Hotel, appeals against a decision of J. Wallace, J.P., in a recent wages case.

Herman vs. Kinsgepp. This is an action where plaintiff sues for \$100, share of shares in a gas engine case, in which the defendant was one of the parties in an agreement to defend. J. Quig for plaintiff; H. M. Carlson, Edmonton, for defendant.

Wayne vs. Scott Fruit Co., Edmonton. This action is to recover price of a carload of potatoes shipped from R. B. Greene & Payne for plaintiff; Ewing & Harvey, Edmonton, for defendant.

C. P. R. v. Watt Bros., Inland. An action to recover freight charges amounting to \$375 on consignment of agricultural implements. Walker, Calgary, for plaintiffs; Barrett, Inland, for defendants.

Seymour et al. v. Moore et al. This action has stood over from last court. The plaintiffs claim payment for services at Fort Saskatchewan.

J. Carlyle Moore for plaintiffs; E. J. Newell, Ford, Bolton and Mount, of Edmonton, for defendants.

In the case of the eight employees suing for wages from the Cement Builders, judgment for amount claimed, with costs in each case, was given by consent. J. Quig for plaintiffs; Greene & Payne for Cement Builders.

The appeal of P. Burke against the decision of Magistrate Wallace in a recent wages case was quashed with costs against the appellant. W. E. Payne for Proctor; A. H. Russell for Burke. The Judge reserved his decision in this case.

The court then adjourned until 10 a.m. today.

Lumberjacks out for a Spree

A number of lumberjacks were in town on Tuesday, June 2nd, and were evidently out for a good time, but for some reason or other they got at loggerheads with a railway man, which in the end developed into a free fight. The occurrence took place close upon eleven o'clock on the grounds where the roundabouts and side shows were being held.

Chief of Police Anderson and his constables took a hand in the game, notwithstanding the fact that the Chief got bowled clean over (when he wasn't looking), they successfully arrested four of the delinquents.

These men were brought before Magistrate Wallace on Wednesday, when it was proved that they not only fought with their hands, but kicked and hit as well. The magistrate made it plain that he was not going to stand for having the police knocked about in the execution of their duty, and fined the defendants \$84. These fines ranged from \$5 for just plain fighting, \$20 for helping to knock about the use of the fists, and \$28 for assaulting the Chief.

Football

RED DEER VS. LACOMBE.

The Red Deer United and Lacombe football teams played a friendly return game on Thursday last on the school grounds. A. R. Gibson had charge of the game, and was a little hard in getting started, owing to the ball not being obtainable. The heavy shower during the early part of the afternoon had made the grounds slippery, and near the school end a lot of water was in evidence. The game from the start was fairly good, with Lacombe doing the most pressing, and scoring in the first ten minutes with a splendid dropping shot. Red Deer then made a determined effort to equalize, and came very near doing it, but over-running the ball in the wet part and had shooting and scattered their efforts. Half time arrived with Lacombe leading 1 to 0. The second half was more in Red Deer's favor, but they could not find the way to put the ball between the posts, and Lacombe came near scoring again. The forwards of the local team were disappointing, displaying practically no combination. A strong plea was made by the local team for a penalty during the first half, but it was not allowed.

The match demonstrated the fact that the football committee are up against the same hard proposition this year as last, in finding forwards who can shoot and score goals.

The defence in this game did all that was required of them and, considering the slippery surface of the ground, played remarkably well. The goal scored by Lacombe was a very good one from a dropping shot, which was hard to judge, Brooks jumping up at it but failing to reach it.

The forwards looked combination, and they did not shoot often enough, consequently all their efforts were brought to nil. The Lacombe team are a strong aggression, and put up a fine game without any roughness; they deserved to win. They will be a welcome addition to the district league this year.

The St. Andrews v. Canadian game was played on the school grounds on Monday night. The game during the first half was very even and fast, with both teams trying all they knew to score, but the defence on both sides was too good. The play was keen, and a fair amount of combination was shown, the ball being swung about from one to another very rapidly; but there was no score.

The second half opened very fast, and before the crowd hardly realized it the Canadians had scored a splendid goal, taking their opponents by surprise. While the goal was a beauty, it should have been prevented, a misunderstanding between Krause and Oliver letting their opponents in. The St. Andrews' team were showing lack of condition, in this half, several of them being of little use for want of wind. On the other side the Canadians appeared to be as fresh as ever, and kept swarming around their opponents' goal, and during one of their rushes Oliver handled the ball on the 18-yard line, and the Canadians were awarded a penalty, from which Reynolds scored. The goal-keeper, however, turned the course of the ball in his efforts to save. The St. Andrews were overplayed in this half, and the end came with the Canadians winners by two goals to none. W. H. Halley, referee.

RIDGEWOOD.

The report that the local correspondent had gone to a warmer climate was founded without any apparent facts, as he is again quite in evidence and will no doubt be heard from occasionally.

The recent rains have done much to advance the progress of the growing crops, and everything in field and garden seems to have a bright future.

Messrs. L. Kennedy and C. McCune building contractors of Red Deer, have just completed the erection of a commodious granary and implement shed for Mr. Alex. Kennedy.

If the old-timers are to hold their annual celebration this year, as usual, we suggest that the time is at hand for the residents to meet for the purpose of making arrangements as regards the holding of such celebration.

John Hickley has lately erected a large implement building, which presents a noteworthy appearance.

Our road foreman, Jerry Sille, is at present working with quite a gang of men and teams on the Meridian trail, and is having the many bad places along this important thoroughfare placed in excellent condition, which have been in such a deplorable state for so many years.

D. Skinner, caretaker of the Old Rocky Mountain House, and Angus Martin, of the same burg, were week end visitors at the latter's home here last week.

The Martin Bros. sent a bunch of saddle horses down with the 35th Light Horse to Calgary this week.

C.P.R. Time Table

(Changed June 1st)

Northbound—Week Days—

Arrive 3.15 a.m. Depart 3.25 a.m.

Arrive 11.50 a.m. Depart 12 (noon)

Arrive 6.00 p.m. Depart 6.10 p.m.

Southbound—

Arrive 3.25 a.m. Depart 3.35 a.m.

Arrive 11.00 a.m. Depart 11.10 a.m.

Arrive 6.10 p.m. Depart 6.20 p.m.

Northbound—Sun. Days—

Arrive 3.15 a.m. Depart 3.25 a.m.

Arrive 6.00 p.m. Depart 6.10 p.m.

Southbound—

Arrive 3.25 a.m. Depart 3.35 a.m.

Arrive 11.00 a.m. Depart 11.10 a.m.

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NEW FARM RESIDENCES BUILDING

Two splendid new residences are about to be erected on the farms of Messrs. John Ross, of Springdale, and Henderson, of Willowdale. Both houses will be up-to-date, and a land mark in the district. Mr. Ross' place will cost \$3,500, and Mr. Henderson's will cost \$3,000. Both places are to be started immediately. G. T. Elise, of Red Deer, is the contractor.